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5-11-01**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re Application of: **JOHN FRANCIS REGAN**For: **LENDER AND INSURER TRANSACTION PROCESSING SYSTEM
AND METHOD**

Serial No.: 09/188,827

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May 7th, 2001133 Richmond Street West
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5-7-01**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**Honourable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
U.S.A.Examiner: John Hayes

Dear Sir:

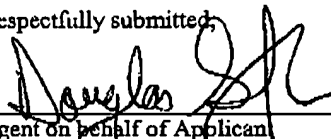
It is respectfully requested that an Extension of Time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 to take the action required in the application identified in caption, as reflected by the papers submitted.

	<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
First Month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
Second Month	\$ 360.00	\$ 180.00
Third Month	\$ 840.00	\$ 445.00
Fourth Month	\$1,320.00	\$ 660.00

TOTAL: \$445.00

- () A cheque in the amount of the above total fee is attached. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 040752. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.
- (X) Please charge any fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 040752. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached. The amount to be charged is \$4452.00 for extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,


 Agent on behalf of Applicant
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